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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28, 1745.

Monday arriv'd a Mail from Holland, and another from Flanders.

Warsaw, August 18.

THE principal Persons in the Government here, having certain Intelligence that some Malecontents had enter'd into Intrigues of a dangerous Nature with a neighbouring Power, they immediately acquainted the Crown-General with their Discoveries and Apprehensions; upon which he instantly gave

orders for marching several Corps of Horse and Foot to the Frontiers of Prussia, in order to prevent any being taken contrary to that Neutrality which the Republic, in this Conjunction, has thought proper to embrace. We are not, however, altogether out of mind in regard to these Practices; but keep so strict a watch over such as were detected in the late Dyet in Correspondence with the Court of Berlin, that it is impossible for them to take any Measures but must be known to the Government in a very short Space of Time, and before it can be in their Power to do any Disturbances whatever.

Genoa, August 14. All the Foreign Troops that were in this State, are actually march'd into the Dominions of the Republic of Genoa. There retire, from time to time hither, from that City, several Persons of Distinction, who are dissatisfied with the present System, and excessively apprehensive of its Consequences; the more, because they are satisfied that great Preparations have been for some time making at Portmahon for a bombardment; whence they conclude, that before the end of this Month, the British Fleet will make an Attempt upon Genoa. The Report that was spread, as if the State had likewise enter'd into the Views of the three Crowns, is absolutely groundless; since we are far from hoping to gain their Favour by our Conduct, that it will transcend our Expectations if we do incur their Displeasure.

Genoa, August 14. As yet we have no great Reason to suspect of our Treaty made with Spain; since they have not only complied very exactly with the Monthly Payments of our Subsidies, and have also discharged the Debt of what they were to pay for the Train of Artillery, but have likewise made us a Present of the Castle of Saravalla, into which the Republic has appointed a Governor. The English do us all the mischief they can, and threaten more; but, as notwithstanding their Vigilance, abundance of small Vessels escape, and the Hopes of a good Market tempts our Neighbours to run many Hazards, we receive from time to time such Supplies of Provision, that we were never better furnished with all Sorts of Victuals than at present.

Alexandria, August 16. The Count de Gages attacked the City of Tortona on the 14th, with his usual Address; that is to say, he opened Ground, and made all the Dispositions on the Side where he might be naturally expected to do it; but the next Night he formed another Attack against the weakest Part of the Town, by which it evidently appear'd that he was better informed than he ought to have been, and that the Condition of the Place had been betrayed. The Governor, like a Man of Sense, instantly transferred whatever was requisite for the better Defence of the Place, into the Citadel, and then ordered the Commandant in the Town to join him with his Garrison; after which, the Magistrates capitulated for the Place, the Loss of which is no sort of Consequence, with respect to the Castle, which is naturally strong, has a good Garrison, well provided with all Things, and will infallibly entertain the Enemy six Weeks or Two Months; in which Time, his Majesty's Army, perhaps, be in a Condition to relieve it.

Königsgratz, August 18. Two hundred Volunteers, commanded by Capt. Schimotta, of the Regiment of Vetter, attacked in the Night of the 15th, the Post of Stalitz, in which there were 350 Prussians, who were either cut to Pieces, or made Prisoners of War. The Duke de Saxe Weissenfels returned Yesterday from the Battle of Igau, and this Morning Prince Charles, and most of the General Officers, repaired to his Serene Highness's Quarters, where they held a Council of War. It is now several Days since the Army had Orders to hold themselves ready to march; but the vast Rains that have fallen lately, have render'd the Roads impassable. The Prussians are much more incommoded by this bad Weather than we, having chosen for their Security a Camp in a Marsh, where some Regiments

of Infantry have the Water Knee deep in their Tents, and yet have it not in their Power to remove; which we imagine has retarded their Retreat into Silesia.

Dresden August 27. Yesterday the Prussian Manifesto was made publick here, and Orders were immediately sent to our Chancery, to refute the Facts that are alleg'd in it. A Cabinet Council was held Yesterday in the Apartment of the Count de Bühl, to which the English, Hanoverian, and Dutch Ministers, were invited; and at the rising of this Council, Couriers were dispatched to Petersburg, Warsaw, Vienna, Hünover, and the Army in Bohemia. Our Forces in the Neighbourhood of Leipzick have Orders to oppose the Prussians vigorously; and it is reported, that the Duke de Saxe Weissenfels has Orders to return hither with 18,000 Men.

Halle, August 27. On the 14th of this Month the First Column of the Prussian Army, under the Command of the Prince of Anhalt Dessau, enter'd into the Saxon Territories, marching directly towards Merseburg; in the Neighbourhood of which, the Saxon Army is encamped; so that we expect every Moment the News of an Engagement. It is thought there is no great Difference as to the Number of Men in both Armies; but the Prussians are all old Troops, and at least one half of the Saxons are Militia; which makes a great Inequality.

Berlin, September 2. As the Unians, and other Irregular Polish Troops, to the Number of 6000 Men, are in the Neighbourhood of Landsberg, about 14 Leagues distant from hence, we are making the necessary Preparations to resist any sudden Surprize: The Burghers, to the Number of 900 Men, capable of carrying Arms, are assembled, and accoutred, and near 2000 of them mount Guard daily.

Frankfort, August 29. M. Polman, the Prussian Minister, has presented another Memorial to the Electoral College; in which he protests in the most solemn Manner against the holding the Preliminary Conferences for an Election; and declares every Thing that has been, or may be settled in them, illegal, and, consequently, void. They are continued notwithstanding; and the Saxon Minister, Count de Loos, assisted in that which was held the Day before Yesterday. He sent his full Powers to be register'd the Night before, and his Instructions are as full and clear in Favour of the Grand Duke as could be wish'd or expected. The Elector of Mentz will make his Publick Entry the Day after Tomorrow, having already address'd a Circular Letter, in the Name of the Electoral College, to the Circles, requiring them to assemble an Army, composed of triple the Force of their usual Contingents, to support the ensuing Election. There is not the least Doubt of the Grand Duke's being chosen, or of his being declared Emperor, before the End of next Month; of which we are so secure, that the 4th of October, being the Feast of St. Francis, is fix'd for his Coronation, on Account of its being his Name Day, and therefore likely to be more agreeable to that Prince. The Austrian Detachment that lately pass'd the Rhine, surprized, and almost totally ruined a Regiment of Foot in the French Service, call'd the Royal Germans. We have certain Intelligence, that the Maritime Powers have concluded a Treaty of Subsidy with the Elector of Bavaria, and that 12,000 of his Troops will march next Month to join the Army of the Allies. This Moment the Equipage of the Elector of Trier is arriv'd, and his Serene Highness will be here the Beginning of next Week.

Hague, September 3. Messieurs Walsen and Hop, Ministers of the Queen of Hungary and their High Mightinesses, arriv'd here last Night from Hanover; and the former sets forward for England along with this Mail. Prince-Czerbatow, is likewise on the Road from thence, and will be here in a Day or two. Lord Harrington arriv'd here this Evening, and his Majesty is expected to be at Helvoet on Monday or Tuesday next, where the Yachts and Convoy arriv'd last Monday. Advices from Dresden mention the Prussian Army's having recross'd the Elbe on the 25th past, and posted itself behind the Mettau, where it was supposed it could not long remain, for want of Subsidence; all the Country within Reach of his Army being entirely exhausted. The Letters from France, come in to Day, bring Advice, that a general Embargo was laid on all Ships in the River Charente, without Distinction of Nation.

FOREIGN PORT.

Elfenour, August 28. The following Commanders are arriv'd; v. z. Jacob Roke, from London for Dantzick; Henry Vase and Thomas Jackson, from Hull for Stockholm; William Blackburn of Whitby, from Hamburg for Stockholm; William Fulton, from Irwin for Ko-

nigsburgh; Charles Hamilton from Newry, and Richard Fenwick from London, for Dantzick; Nicholas Spencer and George Foster, from London for Petersburg; Dennis Rush, from Liverpool for Konigsburgh; and William Moor, from Newry for Dantzick. Captain Vase, and the rest, are sail'd to their respective Loading Ports. They had a favourable Wind till Yesterday Noon, but it alter'd then; and towards the Evening a strong Gale began, which continued all Night and this Afternoon, most at S and S. W. There is a Russian Man of War from Archangel at anchor below our Castle, and some other Vessels, but I think they are all Foreigners; however, it's probable Captain John Anderson, from Newry, may be one of them. Capt. Buttery, from Hull, and Capt. Lock, from London, are gone for Gotenburgh.

HOME PORTS.

Dover, August 26. Wind W. Came in the Eagle Privateer, Capt. Vesley, from a Cruise, and has brought in a Smuggling Boat laden with Tea and Brandy, and the Cargo of another; both making together about 800 Weight of Tea, and 300 Half-Ankers of Brandy.

Deal, August 26. Wind W. Remain the Men of War, with the Outward-bound Ships, except the following, which are sail'd to the Westward; viz. the Mermaid, Bashley, the Ranger, Blake, and the Seaflower, Curry. Came down the Isaac and Elisabeth, Matthews, for Portsmouth; and the Chester, Cookin, for Liverpool. This Instant arriv'd from Plymouth the Gloucester Man of War.

Gravesend, August 26. Pass'd by the ———, Stenton, from Dantzick; and the Carpenter, Buoy, from Stockholm.

Arrived,

At Carolina, the Janus, Ball, and the Indian Queen, Read, both from London.

At Leghorn, the Stabbington, Mauger, from London.

LONDON.

They write from Leghorn, that the whole Riviera, to the Westward, is in Arms, occasioned by the daily Incursions of the Piedmontese; and the County of Albenga has protested, that rather than suffer it to be ruin'd, they will submit to his Sardinian Majesty.

There are private Letters from the Hague which say, that his Excellency Mr. Trevor conferred lately with their High Mightinesses the States General; and that they have since taken a Resolution of great Importance; which will be communicated to the Earl of Harrington, who is hourly expected there, in his Way to England; and is supposed to relate to reinforcing the Army of the Allies under the Command of his Royal Highness.

Private Letters from Dusseldorp say positively, that both the Ministers of Brandenburg and the Palatinate assisted at the last Preliminary Conference at Frankfort; which, however, is so extraordinary a Piece of News, and agrees so ill with our Accounts from Frankfort directly, that tho' it is very possible it may be true, yet it requires Confirmation before it obtains Credit entirely.

The Grand Duke has lately sent a Detachment of 3000 Austrian and Hanoverian Horse, 7000 Foot, 20 Pieces of Cannon, 4 Mortars and 3 Haubitzen, on the other Side the Rhine; they are to be joined by 2500 Croats and 1500 Hussars, and are to be employed in an Expedition of great Importance, and which it is believed will oblige the Prince of Conti to abandon all his Designs in Germany.

The Nelly, Stewart, from Jamaica for London, was lost on a Sand Bank the 30th of December, two Leagues off Charles Island, near Cuba; the Crew were saved, and carried to the Havana.

The Legare Etienne, Capt. Beslin, a French Privateer about the Size of a Long Boat, one Carriage Gun, and 23 Men, is taken by the Falcon Schoop of War, Captain Carterer, and brought in o Portsmouth.

The King George, Hudson, from Carolina for the Leeward Islands, is taken, and carried into the Havana.

The Prince of Orange, Law, from Hull for Hamburg, is lost near Holyland.

To-morrow Dr. Green, Master of his Majesty's Band of Musick, with several of the Gentlemen belonging to the Chapel Royal, Westminster-Abbey, and St. Paul's, will set out for Worcester, where they are to meet the Gentlemen belonging to the Choir of Hereford, Gloucester, and Worcester, in order to perform, at the last-mentioned Place, on Tuesday next, a grand Concert of

poor Clergymen's Widows and their Children.

Last Monday Night the Right Hon. the Lord Chancellor arrived at his House in Great Ormond-street, from his Seat at Wimpole in Cambridgeshire.

Yesterday died, at his House in Upper Moorfields, Mr. James Butler, formerly an eminent Throwster in Goodman's Fields.

Last Week two Smugglers fighting at Beccles in Suffolk, one gave the other a Fall, and at the same time fell with his Knee on his Stomach; which so bruised him, that he died in an Hour after.

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Whereas the Communication with Flanders, by Way of Ostend, is interrupted, and, for the present, at an End; public Notice is hereby given to all Merchants, and others whom it may concern, That as their Letters for the several Parts and Provinces of the Austrian Netherlands, are now of necessity to be forwarded by the Way of Holland, it will be most proper for them to inclose their Letters and Packets, or recommend them to such as may be their Friends or Correspondents in Holland, from thence to be forwarded to the Places they are design'd for, in the Netherlands aforesaid; as also, that it will be most safe and convenient for them, that the Answers in return to their said Letters, should be sent under Cover to Holland, to be forwarded from thence to this Office.

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